RG104 E-1 Box 143 Dec 1886

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Dec 16, 1886.

Hon Daniel N. Fox Supt. U S Mint

Dear Sir

In response to your desire that I should agree to furnish 3 Pr tin and 2 Pr zinc, instead of the 2 1/2 Pr tin and 2 1/2 Pr. zinc called for by your advertisement for one cent blanks, I now agree to make that change, and my bid may be so construed

Your contract with me for conversion of nickel and copper into five cent coin blanks calls for the delivery to me of about 20 000 lbs. of nickel, but, the Mint having consumed some of the nickel destined for that contract, only about 18 000 lbs have been delivered to me If you have no better plan for furnishing that deficit of say 2 000 lbs., I am willing to supply it of my own make (which is better adapted for the purpose than any other) for sixty five cents per pound

Yours truly

Joseph Wharton

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

Dec 16, 188.

Phila. Pa.

~~Superintendent.~~

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Agrees to Supt desire. that he shall furnish 3½ tin & 2oz zinc for one cent blanks.

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Yours Truly,
Joseph Wharton